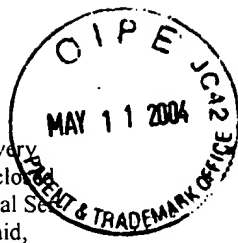


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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed November 12, 2004,  
Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the  
above-identified patent application in view of the following  
Amendments and Remarks. A Petition for Extension of Time (3  
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